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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: WASSERMANN et al.

Application No.: 10/561,639

Group Art Unit: 1614

Filed: December 20, 2005

Examiner: Zhang, Nancy L.

For:

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment that was mailed on November 6, 2006, transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is a

X Supplementary Preliminary Amendment;

X Postcard;

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X Certificate of Mailing.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTARY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment that was mailed on November 6, 2006 for the subject application, setting a one-month period for responding. Applicants hereby transmit: a copy of the Notification.

In connection with completion of the filing requirements for the subject application, entry of the following amendments to the claims is requested. Upon entry of the amendments, the pending claims will be those of the following listing beginning on page 2.